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Eleven Visiting Rinks in Crossfield Bonspiel

Eleven Local Rinks — Weather Favors Committee

Eleven visiting rinks and eleven local rinks started yesterday morning to curl their way through Crossfield's annual bonspiel. The entry is larger than last year and with cooler weather everything points to a most successfulspiel. Evidently the Crossfield officials are in close touch with the weatherman, because they arranged to have the weather cooled down on Monday night so that the ice could be put in good shape to start curling on Wednesday.

Austin Whilans is acting as bonspiel secretary.

The Ladies Guild are serving refreshments at the rink.

THE RINKS

Crossfield—J. M. Williams, Glen Williams, G. Purvis, C. Becker, Ed. Meyers, Wm. Stralo, G. Y. McLean, H. McCaskill, R. Smart, C. H. McMillan, Mrs. Harrison, Carstairs—E. Lee, C. Bishop, I. Leisemar, J. Hall, W. Shantz, M. Foster, J. Johnston, Didsbury — F. Kaufman, Bert Fisher.

Dog Pound—Lake Parsons, Airdrie—Rev. Hovie.

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Local School District Has Healthy Bank Account

A highly successful annual rate-payers meeting of Crossfield School District was held at the town hall on Monday, Feb. 19th. The attendance was not large, but those who were present heard, among other things, the healthy condition of school district finances.

The financial statement showed that a balance in the bank consisted of \$3,781.55. This is indeed a nice showing when it is considered that the trustees were able to reduce the mill rate by 1 mill over 1932. The report showed that the Crossfield S.D. has no debents to pay, and no outstanding accounts.

In spite of the depression and all that goes with it, the outstanding taxes were approximately \$2,000 less in 1933, than in 1932.

The total cost for running the school for 1933 amounted to \$6013.57.

Report of the principal showed that the average daily attendance of pupils for the year was 1057.

A motion was passed and carried, suggesting to the Board that the poll tax be discontinued. This tax was put into effect in 1933, and it was considered that the collecting of the tax was more trouble than it was worth.

It was moved and carried that the Board secure the necessary permission from the Department so that school can be called at 9:30 a.m. during the winter months.

Dr. S. H. McClelland was re-elected trustee for a term of three years by acclamation.

At the conclusion of the business meeting, a vote of thanks was tendered the trustees for the very efficient manner in which all departments operated.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Carol Koester of Gatzville, on Feb. 17th, a son.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Ken Borbridge at Vancouver, B. C. on Feb. 14, a son.

Miss Isabel Dawson of Maden is the guest of Mrs. Wm. Pogue this week.

Annual Meeting M. D. of Rosebud No. 280

The annual meeting was held at Carstairs on Saturday. Mr. R. A. Shaw presiding.

The Reeve submitted the annual statement and auditors report.

Motion by Mr. Jas. Millar disapproving of action of council in making seizures for taxes on land under S. S. B. was lost.

Mr. Frank Laut informed the meeting regarding preparations made to meet grasshopper menace. Mr. O. E. Jones spoke on soil drifting and on the weed situation. Messrs. Geo. Ainscough, A. S. Gough and L. Siebert were re-elected by acclamation for Divisions 2, 4 and 5 respectively.

Chautauqua Gleams

Hello Folks! This is the Chronicle Reporter, well now for a little news of the Board of Trade Chautauqua presented by local talent, assisted by a few outside artists.

First, I want to tell you that unprecedented interest is being taken in the forthcoming local Chautauqua sponsored by the Board of Trade, so much so that the advertising manager has been unable to give individual replies in these cases.

Thousands of letters contain inquiries regarding the personnel of the artists, and the advertising manager wishes to announce that he cannot possibly undertake to give individual replies in these cases.

It has been thought advisable, however to publish a few brief notes on the various artists. These no doubt will be read with interest by hundreds of prospective patrons who are eagerly looking forward with anticipation to one of the best shows ever staged in local circles.

James Dickson, a product of the land of the highland, speaks a lot of his native arithmetic in the Bank. Suffice to say he is a fine addition but is always placed in a cage whenever he shows signs of violence. Plays in "Lady to You," first evening.

Glen Williams, famous in curling circles, in fact he never seems to get enough, and when he feels it, he grinds his cereals rough, even been known to make 6 and tough. See him in "A Lady to You," first evening.

A. McClelland, a very systematic person, sleeps eight hours, eats eight hours, and answer her husband's questions for eight hours. Plays in "A Lady to You," first evening.

H. Fitzpatrick, a broth of a boy, Irish and proud of it too. Well-known personality in amateur and entertainment circles. In private life he is busily looking for lost love holes. Direct and plays in "The Heart Cry," second evening.

Well that's thirty for this week, friends, see you next week in these columns.

Large Attendance at Physical Culture Class

The Physical Culture Class which is being conducted by Pete Gravel and Constable Cameron, is progressing rapidly. With such splendid turnout there is no doubt the membership will one day reach 100.

Girls and boys will work together until more space is available.

Classes commence at 7:30 every Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights in the U. F. A. hall and all are welcome to attend.

Dog Pound School Children

Raise \$58.50 for Red Cross

The Junior Red Cross benefits by \$58.50 from a concert and bazaar given by Dog Pound school children on Friday 16th. Program and concert was arranged by teacher Miss Young ably assisted by Mrs. Angus Cameron and one or two local young ladies.

A rug donated by Mrs. Buscher brought \$15.00. Dog Pound's pet auctioneer, Fred Brooks, made money for the R. C. and all enjoyed his "taking" way.

Miss Isabel Leah has a class of ten youngsters who she is teaching the art of Highland and tap dancing. The class is held on Saturday afternoon in the Dog Pound school.

Work Shoes

We have just received our new shipment of Work Shoes. And although the price of leather has increased very greatly we offer these at popular prices.

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Prevention Of War

As this article is written flaring headlines in the daily newspapers tell of rioting in the streets of Paris and in many of the provincial cities and towns of France; of barricaded streets and buildings in Vienna and other Austrian centres of population where Government forces resist and seek to put down an uprising on the part of Socialists in that country; of warlike preparations on the part of Russia in Siberia in anticipation of a struggle with Japan. In a word, reports from both Europe and Asia seem to indicate that just below the surface of things there is a seething volcano that may erupt at any time and bring about the Great War of 1914-1918.

And while the front pages of the daily papers feature these alarming reports, inside pages in many of the larger papers and in the representation of hundreds of pictures of actual scenes taken in the Great War, and with particular reference to the part taken in that grim struggle by the manhood of this Dominion. Many of these pictures are terrible, shocking, gruesome. They depict little or nothing of what used to be regarded as the glamour and glory of war; instead, they reveal a life passed in the midst and hourly expectation of death, or mutilation worse than death, and in surroundings such as the meanest beast would not tolerate. These pictures illustrate modern war for the awful thing it is, and no doubt the object in presenting these pictures to the public at this time is to develop a horror of war and to strengthen the determination of the people of Canada to resist any future outbreak of hostilities with all the influence it is possible for them to exert.

Admitting the very worthy motive actuating the publication of these pictures, the question nonetheless does intrude itself as to whether such publication will serve the desired purpose; rather, whether the pictures, despite their gory and repulsive nature, may not have exactly the opposite of the desired effect with many persons. It is to be remembered that we are living in very difficult times; that thousands of men are out of employment, living in idleness upon relief payments from the State; that, in particular, the youth of the country to a very great extent are unable to find avenues in which to employ their stored up energies and give full play to their initiative and ambitions. To many of them comes the feeling, amounting almost to a conviction, that anything would be better than the deadening monotony of a life of having nothing to do.

Indeed of no time with a pictorial review of all the activity, the excitement, the new experiences and thrills, and the adventure inseparable from war, is there not grave danger, indeed, of shocking our youth with the horrors and sufferings of war, we may not necessarily develop in the minds of many the thought that they would not be averse to undergoing the hardships, sufferings and possible death inseparable from war in order to substitute for their present routine of idleness the experiences, excitements and adventures of war.

In all of us there is a longing for adventure. We all desire to visit foreign lands to see and experience something new and different. Down through the centuries, and probably never more so than in this present age, men— even women—enjoy speed, action, thrills. Danger means nothing in these days to people desirous of establishing some new record; people are ready to risk their lives in almost every conceivable kind of an enterprise.

Is it wise, therefore, no matter how laudable the object sought to be served, to present to the youth of Canada at a time when, temporarily at least, thousands of young men in their late teens and early twenties are at loose ends, with nothing to do, daily instalments of a pictorial history of the greatest war of all time showing what their fathers and elder brothers experienced of action and adventure as well as of suffering and death.

There is no glory in war; there is no gain in war. Victor suffers almost as greatly as the vanquished. The last Great War has surely impressed that fact upon the nations. And the aftermath of war, the enormous financial and economic destruction and loss which inevitably follows all wars, brings sorrows, sufferings and ever accumulating losses almost as great as the toll of war itself. Indeed, war instead of solving problems only creates new ones, and sooner or later inevitably leads to another war. That is the basic cause of the unprecedented length of the present depression, because the apparent inevitability of another world war prevents any return of confidence; rather every person and every nation is planning and preparing for themselves in the light of what may happen and the happening of which is beyond their own control.

The Canadian people do not want war. If the other nations of the world spent no more money or thought on armaments and preparation for war than Canada does, there would be little danger of another war afflicting this old world. The Canadian people are opposed to war, and are desirous of doing everything they can to prevent it. The question is: Are we going about our educational work of prevention in the right way? Rather, is there not a considerable degree of danger that, quite unintentionally, we are creating an impression in certain quarters that, after all, another war might not be wholly undesirable.

Ancient Skates Found

Blue Ribbon Story

Fastime First Known In England During Thirteenth Century

Skating in England was not heard of before the thirteenth century, and the skates used were made of the leg bones of animals. Thongs of leather fastened these to the feet. The skater would then push himself over the ice by means of an iron adzah pole. Some of these bone skates have been discovered of recent years in Mertonfield and in Finsbury. This probably means these places were at one time marshy fields, where the youths of London foraged in winter for skating.

A Tired, Worn Out Woman Can't Make a Happy Home

There is no happiness in the home when the mother is sick and worn by the never ending household duties. She gets run down and becomes nervous and irritable, has shortness of breath, faint and dizzy, can't sleep, and gets up in the morning feeling as tired as she went to bed, and is downhearted and disengaged.

Milburn's H. & N. Pills will soon convalesce women it is not necessary to suffer, as they build up the nervous system and bring back the former health and vigor.



British Speed Driver

Sir Malcolm Campbell To Try For New Record In Utah

Sir Malcolm Campbell, British driver, who seeks an automobile speed record of 300 miles per hour as his ultimate goal, will drive his five-ton Bluebird racer over the Salduro Lake bed, near Salt Lake City, Utah, in August in an attempt to smash the mark of 272.08 miles an hour he now holds.

Definite assurance that Sir Malcolm, who raised the record for the fourth time at Daytona Beach, Fla., last February, would try again on the new Utah course, was received from the racer by cable to the contest board of the American Automobile association, governing body of the speed sport in America.

The Salduro Lake bed, presenting a smooth course of several miles, offers an unusual opportunity for increasing the record. The surface is a deposit of natural mineral salts, hardened and provided increased distance both for getting up speed before the start and for slowing down after completion of the measured mile as well as additional safety factors.

Sir Malcolm's giant Bluebird, to be used in the next test, is capable of a technical speed of 300 miles an hour. Sir Malcolm expects to sail for the United States in July.

The racer set his first world record with Bluebird at Daytona Beach in 1928 when he lifted the mark for the measured mile to 206.954 M.P.H. after the late Sir Henry Segrave raised the record to 231 M.P.H.

Sir Malcolm returned to Daytona in 1931 and regained the speed crown with an average of 245.933 M.P.H. In Florida, in 1932, he boosted this record to 253.968 M.P.H. He also set corresponding marks for five kilometres, five miles and 10 kilometres.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

CHOCOLATE BREAD PUDDING

1/4 squares unsweetened chocolate
3 cups milk
2 eggs, slightly beaten
1/2 cup sugar
1/4 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 cups stale bread, cut in 1/4-inch cubes

Add chocolate to milk and heat in double boiler. When chocolate is melted, stir until blended. Combine eggs, sugar, and salt; add chocolate mixture gradually, stirring vigorously. Add vanilla. Place bread in greased baking dish, pour mixture over it and let stand 10 minutes; then mix well before baking. Place dish in pan of hot water and bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 60 minutes, or until pudding is firm. Serve hot, with hard sauce or cold with cream. Serves six.

DUTCH APPLE PIE

One quart sliced Washington Rome Beaudies, nutmeg, 1 cup evaporated milk, 1 1/2 cups sugar.

Turn apples into pie tin lined with plain pastry. Sprinkle with nutmeg. Place strips of pastry across pie to form cross bars. Boll milk and sugar to a thick syrup about 10 minutes. Pour over pie. Bake in hot oven (425 degrees F.) 10 minutes, then a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 50 minutes longer, or until apples are tender. Yield: One pie.

The Beak Too

"I don't want to eat this egg. It's not a nice egg," protested the six-year-old daughter of the house at the breakfast table.

"Mary," said her mother sternly, "you are always complaining of your food. Eat what is placed before you—every bite of it—without another word, or else I'll have to give you a good spanking."

All was quiet for some minutes. Then from the other end of the table sounded a mournful voice:

"Mother, dear, do I have to eat the beak too?"

The New York Evening World characterized the Lindbergh flight from New York to Paris as "the greatest feat of a solitary man in the records of the human race."

Two classes that never go out of their way to please you are those who can't use you and those who are sure you are not.

About a quarter-million sea-going passengers arrive and depart from London in a year.

Will Attempt Daring Aeronautical Feat

British Parachutist Aims To Make Drop From Stratosphere

"I want to be the first man to drop from the stratosphere and I'm ready to gamble my life on a jump from a height of 25 miles."

John Tranum, the British parachutist who has survived more than 2,000 jumps, announced in these words the most daring aeronautical feat as yet planned by man. He is appealing to M. E. Ridge, youthful American, who intends to ascend 25 miles by balloon, for passage in the open basket in order to make the leap.

Experts say he will have only a 50-50 chance of emerging alive from the drop, even if Ridge should pierce the stratosphere with his daring passenger.

Tranum is tired of "experts" and maintains that a healthy man can safely pass through the terrific ordeal of a 25-mile drop if properly clothed and equipped with a special breathing apparatus. If Ridge accepts the offer, the jump will be attempted in England during 1934. Such distinguished scientists as Prof. J. B. S. Haldane, respiration authority, and Sir Robert Davis, are heartily supporting Ridge in his efforts to arrange for the 25-mile balloon ascent in an open basket. That is twice the height achieved so far in a sealed gondola.

"I've already been up to heights of more than four miles and my record delayed drop was from a height of three and a half miles" said Tranum.

Want St. Paul's Protected

No Excavation In London Cathedral Area Should Be Allowed

Excavation and operations in the subsoil within a defined area around St. Paul's Cathedral (London), should be controlled by Act of Parliament. This suggestion follows publication of the full report which is based upon investigations of Sir Alexander Gibb and Ralph Freeman, English engineers. The suggestion is that a "sacred area" should be established around St. Paul's in which area "some control is essential, up to the point of prohibition in an extreme construction of all underground works." The report expresses the desirability of avoiding traffic vibrations in the vicinity of the cathedral and urges that means be devised to this end. Dangers to the immense and ancient fabric of St. Paul's Cathedral have been present for many years.

Huge Sun Unclaimed
More than \$2,500,000 lies in Canadian banks unclaimed and undisturbed for the past five years or more. The total represents certified cheques, drafts, bills of exchange, dividends and unclaimed balances.

Seventy-one thousand "helpers," a new record, were taken on by the British post office to handle the Christmas mail.

A new television station is nearing completion in Turin, Italy.

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HERE ARE THE SIGNS:
Nervousness
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Inventor Describes Electric Needle To Revive Person Apparently Dead

Electricity as a means of resuscitating apparently dead persons was described to physicians at Philadelphia by Dr. Albert S. Hyman of New York, inventor, who described several experiments he has been successful.

Dr. Hyman uses slender golden needles charged with the amount of electricity produced by the normal beating heart. This is plunged directly into the heart, he said, in the same manner that the adrenalin has been injected for years.

The general staff was said to have found that the existing air corps strength was below requirements, and that the percentages of types of aircraft should be revised. It believed also that 1,800 serviceable planes would not permit the necessary allotment to overseas possessions and at the same time permit the organization of an effective military air force unit within the United States.

Numbers Are Necessary

Reuss is an ancient principality in Thuringia, Germany, where for some unexplained reason all the men of the noble families are called Heinrich, or Henry. To distinguish them selves they have to add numerals to their names. All this is to explain why on the register of a Montreal hotel there appears the name "Princess Henry XXXIII of Reuss."

Oh, well, some fenders were on pleasure bent, says the Brandon Sun.

GOOD RECIPE FOR CURRY

2 tablespoons chutney
1 tablespoon curried powder
2 cups water
1 apple
1 tablespoon Benson's golden syrup
1 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup sultanas
2 cups stock
2 Mazola

Cooked meat, such as rib, shoulder, loin, etc., and cold, cut brown in the mace and the chopped apple and other ingredients. Simmer over low heat for three hours, then serve with boiled rice.

Another Surgical Triumph

Man Recovers Sight After Astounding Operation On Eyes

Henry Watson, 29 years old and blind since he was two, looks wonderfully on a world he had seen but a forgotten. Behind his recovery was a triumph of modern surgery.

Watson lost his sight when disease attacked the corneas of his eyes, the transparent shell that protects the exposed surface. His case seemed apparently hopeless until Dr. Thomas, noted Cardinal of the medical world, became interested in him. From his sights were Dr. Thomas peeled the diseased corneas, replacing them with healthy corneas from the eyes of two persons whose sight had failed from other causes.

Widespread interest in the case brought many famous surgeons to see Watson while he lay in hospital.

Two-Hundred-Mile Shadow

The longest shadow in the world is that of El Tilton Peak on Tenasserim, the largest of the Canaries Islands. This peak rises abruptly 12,200 feet above the Atlantic and at sunrise and sunset it casts shadow more than 200 miles.

He was travelling on the Continent, and wrote home:

"Am enjoying Florence immensely."

"Don't hurry back," replied his wife. "I'm having a good time with George."

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Persistent Attempts Made By Man Are Slowly Unfolding the White Mystery of the Antarctic

The present attempts upon the white mystery of the Antarctic seem to be beginning in a tamer atmosphere of drama than that which met the first Byrd expedition. For the first ice conditions have proved unusual. The Ellsworth expedition, when it finally reached the Bay of Whales, saw evidences of movement, never before reported, in the solid sheet of ice which surrounds and forms the bay. Chunks were seen to break off from this vast glacier, estimated to be several hundred feet thick; while the Ellsworth plane was wrecked in the moving bay below the escarpment. That ended for this year Ellsworth's bold project for a trans-continental flight from the Ross to the Weddell Sea.

Now the Byrd expedition, successfully reaching Little America after it had been feared that the pack ice would bar the road entirely, has only narrowly missed destruction under a fall of the shelf or barrier ice such as Ellsworth reported. A near-disaster to Byrd's big plane on its first flight can scarcely have lessened the excitement. These are reminders of the real peril of Antarctic adventure, which, in this aspect at any rate, must be based on the edge of a dangerous frontier, with solid land hundreds of miles away. The compensation is that if conditions are really changing in the Bay of Whales the phenomenon offers more opportunity for unlocking the many still hidden secrets of that last unknown continent.

Something Admiral Byrd has already been able to contribute. By his flights from shipboard he was able to push back the white space on the charts which conceals the actual coast line through the thousand miles or so between the Ross Sea area and the region of Wilkins's discoveries below the tip of South America. No one has ever seen land in that sector; no one even knows whether there is a continental mass there or only, perhaps, scattered islands. Wilkins was able to reduce Graham Land, once thought to be a projection of the continent, to an archipelago; but what lies between his Hearst Land, near the 80th meridian, and Marie Byrd Land, which seems to form the eastern shore of the Ross Sea between the 140th and 150th meridians; no one can tell. Wilkins took one bite, by airplane, out of this unknown quadrant, finding no land; Byrd has now taken another, with the same result. But his present purpose is to clear up the mystery as far as he can. Slowly, despite all the perils which it holds, the Antarctic Continent has been taking form upon our charts, and sooner or later its whole shape must be known.—New York Herald Tribune.

Newspaper In The Lead

Cheapest And Best Form Of Advertising Survey Shows

What is described as one of the most exhaustive surveys ever taken in Los Angeles for the purpose of determining "buyers' wishes" has resulted in the following conclusions:

That 77 per cent paid no attention to advertising matter thrown into their yards.

That 86 per cent of all women and 57 per cent of the men watch for newspaper advertisements of special sales.

That illustrated newspaper advertising was preferred 9 to 1.

Both men and women picked newspapers first when asked what advertising media they preferred.

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Smithson—"I hesitate to mention it, Mrs. Greylocks, but your husband owed me two dollars when he died."

Widow—"Really? Oh, well, I know you're glad that you have something to remember him by."

Sportsman (at reception) — I should like to try my hand at big game.

Mrs. Green—Yes, I suppose you find it hard to hit those little birds.

London omnibuses have covered more than 2,500,000 miles without a fatal accident to road users.

W. N. U. 2024

Farm Size Increase Mechanical Power On The Farm Largely Responsible For Larger Holdings

The increase in the size of Canadian farms, particularly in the spring wheat area, is attributable mainly to improvements in farm machinery and to the introduction of mechanical power. According to figures of the Economic branch, Dominion department of agriculture, during the 20-year period from 1871 to 1931, there was practically no change in the average size of farms, the acreage being reported as slightly in excess of 97 acres for each census year. From 1901 to 1931, the average expanded rapidly from 124.1 acres to 224.5 acres. Using Saskatchewan to illustrate the change in the spring wheat area, it will be found that the acreage per farm increased rapidly since 1911 with but a slight change from 265.1 acres to 295.2 acres per farm for the decade preceding that year. In 1931 the average size of farm in Saskatchewan was 408 acres. Acres of improved land increased from 83.5 to 245.9 acres, or nearly 200 per cent. There was approximately the same increase in the number of acres sown to wheat.

Winnipeg Newspaper Union



By Ruth Rogers



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Town.

CHANGES IN THE POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT



Arrangements are being made to supersede J. L. Gaboury (left), Deputy Postmaster General of Canada, because of ill-health, and V. T. Coolican (right), Assistant Deputy, is reported to be his likely successor. Mr Gaboury has been in the public service since 1900.

Record For Old Church Had Only One Wedding In Century And A Quarter

A church in which there has been but one bride and groom in a century and a quarter—does such a place exist in Canada or anywhere else?

A church outside of which at least one bride and groom were married in their night apparel, at midnight, at the cross-roads nearby? You will find these odd things in the Conger Methodist church, the building erected by Stephen Conger in 1899.

Melissa Cronk and Nelson Conger were married in 1871 in this church, by chance almost. She wore blue silk poplin, and a veil. In the old days Methodist ministers were not allowed to officiate at weddings. So these took place either in a magistrate's office or in houses or at the cross-roads. The latter strange ceremony was arranged for those who did not want their bands read in church; and the stipulation was night clothes for garments.

The church has been often repainted but is otherwise as it was built; the starway to the pulpit, the sounding board are just as the old.

The bride of his descendant, who chose, at the last moment, to be married in the church, lived to be 90. The bride in which Stephen Conger lived, built in 1812, still stands, in part, although much altered.

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Journalists Were Unlucky

Many Of Chinese Newspaper Editors Have Been Executed

During the 1,000 years that have elapsed since the founding of the Peiping Gazette, a newspaper which claims the distinction of being the second oldest periodical in the world, no fewer than 1,797 of its editors have been executed.

This information was featured in the jubilee issue recently put out by the Gazette in celebration of its 1,000th anniversary.

It is stated that some of the unlucky journalists were beheaded because they had failed to live up to the elaborate customs of politeness laid down by the ancient Chinese code of life.

Scottish courts seem to depend to quite an extent on the cancellation of the license to drive, and the knowledge that an accident or a charge in court is liable to result in the car being made useless for a term of years undoubtedly has an effect in producing caution in drivers.

Producing Turkey Meat Sixty-Four Pounds of Grain To Produce A 16-Pound Turkey

Experiments show that when turkeys are fed without free range, it takes five and a half pounds of mixed grain to produce one pound of flesh, but as at least 99 per cent of the turkeys in Canada are fed with free range, these figures cannot apply, says Mr. E. E. Elford, Dominion Poultry Husbandman. Figures obtained in the three prairies indicate where 75 per cent of Canada's turkeys are raised, show that 50 to 60 pounds of grain will produce a 16-pound turkey. But in order to be conservative, 64 pounds of grain may be allowed for the 16 pounds of turkey meat, or four pounds of feed to one pound of flesh. Turkeys brought to the farmer an average of nine cents per pound in 1932 (18 cents in 1931). At the 1932 average price a 16-pound turkey brought \$1.44, paying a gross return of \$2.25 per cwt. for the grain and \$1.40, 91 cents, and 86 cents for wheat, barley, and oats, or an increase for each of these per bushel of \$1.09, 71 cents, and 67 cents.

One Of Strange Hobbies

Some People Spend Much Time Making Small Books

Among the strangest of strange hobbies is the desire to make small books, but it is one on which people at various times have spent a great deal of thought and effort.

The world's smallest book was made in Holland in the year 1674, by someone named Carl Van Lange. There are 49 pages in it, and each of them, including the margins, is about seven-tenths of an inch long and three-tenths of an inch wide. Its title is "The Court of Flowers," and the entire text is beautifully bound in calf leather ornamented with gold leaf, and provided with a gold clasp.

Canceled The Permit

The truth is when a number of people decide to make their own method of spelling confusion would be certain to happen. We have as much right to change words as McCormick or any individual but it is better to stick in what was tot in school. When changes are made we won't taylor know orders from Chicago.—Stratford Beacon-Herald.

Advance In Price Of Gold Results In Marked Stimulus To Gold Mining In Canada

The Praying Mantis

Insect May Be Used In West Combat Hopper Menace

In the co-operative efforts of the Dominion and provincial departments of agriculture and the various municipalities and farming societies for the control of grasshoppers, no possible means of exterminating the plague is overlooked. During last fall certain members of the staff of the Dominion parasite laboratory at Belleville, Ont., collected egg masses of the praying mantis in the Belleville-Napanee-Pickton area, where this insect has been increasing abundantly during the past three years. The praying mantis feeds to a large extent on grasshoppers and the bugs have been collected with the intention of investigating the possibility of colonizing the praying mantis at points in western Canada where grasshoppers are a serious pest. The praying mantis is remarkable for its grotesque flight and for holding its formidable fore-legs in a manner suggesting hands folded in prayer, hence its name. However, the mantis preys on other insects and its devout attitude merely covers its tenet of watchfulness.

Simplified Spelling

Chicago Tribune Has Even Included Name Of Publisher

The Chicago Tribune has gone in for simplified spelling and the rule has been extended to include the name of the publisher, Col. Robert R. McCormick. That name becomes McCormick. Some of the changes announced for spelling on that paper include:

Fantom instead of phantom.

Hockey for hockey.

Harken for hearken.

Indentity for indefinitely.

The Tribune will not adopt either for altho, nor will it change through to thru, but in all there are 24 changes which it has decided to use in its effort to simplify spelling.

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Enemy Of Man's Supremacy

Insects Are The Most Dangerous Enemy Of Man

Notwithstanding their remarkably interesting structures, transformations, and habits, insects as a group are the most dangerous of the animal kingdom. They are, in fact, man's chief competitors for the supremacy of the earth. In the whole world over 600,000 different kinds of insects have been studied, and probably as many more distinct species await classification. Man and insects want the same things for food, and they want to occupy the same places. — Dominion Entomological Branch.

Gardens In The Slums

In order to keep children off the streets in the poorest parts of London, England, and teach them some of the wonders of nature, eight beautiful gardens have been transformed from mere rubbish heaps in the slums by the directed efforts of the children, under a committee of general horticulturists and others. It is now called the London Children's Garden Fund. The produce of each plot is the property of the child to whom it belongs.

A Wonderful Man

There is a Chinese in Shanghai who uses visiting cards written with the tip of his nose. Mr. Hsu, the expert in question, claims that can inscribe the intricate Chinese characters in 150 different ways. He can write blindfolded, with either hand, with a brush inserted into either of his nostrils or ears or between his teeth. He can dispense with his brush and write with his upper or lower lip, with his forehead, with his tongue, or with his car.

The recent rainfall in El Salvadore was the heaviest in years and caused heavy damage to property and crops.

—The Humorist, London.

With the United States paying \$35 per ounce for gold, shipments of the precious metal from Canada are now going across the international boundary instead of the whole going to London. Last year the destination for the bulk of the output was New York. With Ottawa diverting the stream of yellow metal from England to the United States, Canadian mining companies are obtaining the full advantage of the American gold price, less the mint charges, plus the difference in exchange, which brings the return slightly above \$35 per ounce.

One that could not be considered with gold at \$30.67 per ounce, becomes good mill grade at the current price with the result that producers are now taking large tonnages of the material, formerly waste rock, and are running it through their mills at a profit. Low grade mines, that were just getting by on the old standard gold price, are now reaping a nice profit on operations and are beginning to make dividend distribution to shareholders.

While the new price offers benefits to producing companies, it also is having a stimulating effect on the gold mining industry of Canada as a whole. Many old properties that have been idle for years are being plowed for production and already several companies in this class have announced plans for mill installation, while others are starting up with the object of reaching the production stage as rapidly as possible.

Companies and syndicates that have been looking prospects are becoming ground at a rapid rate to determine surface possibilities and soon as some indication of values is obtained, diamond drilling is started and is followed by shaft sinking and underground development. It is a safe estimate at this time to say that by the end of the current year Canada will bring in between 20 and 30 new gold producers.

Gold producers, however, are not the only interests to benefit from the higher gold price. The activities in mining is creating a big demand for labor in the various fields; it is furnishing a market for steel, tools, machinery and equipment and also is responsible for large sales of clothing, foodstuffs, all of which have direct bearing on the labor situation in Canada.

Burdensome Surplus

World's Wheat Supply Is Still Reported To Be Heavy

The world wheat crop, excluding Russia, now appears 100 million bushels larger than was estimated four months ago. At the same time the world crop is 200 million bushels smaller than in 1932 and over 400 million bushels smaller than the 1928 crop, according to the Food Research Institute of Stanford University, Calif.

World wheat supplies for 1932-34 are only about 100 million bushels smaller than in 1932-33. In the major exporting countries supplies are much smaller than in 1932-33, particularly in the U.S. and Canada, but European supplies are much larger. This holds true whether or not Russia is included.

The position is, the Institute finds, that while imports have been made upon the world wheat surplus it still remains burdensome.

Island Of Small Farmers

Coffee Is Chief Crop Of Haiti's Negro Republic

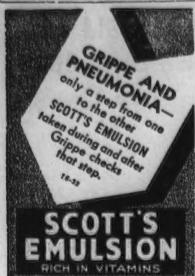
The negro republic of Haiti is a land of small farmers, only two percent, it is estimated, of the agricultural production being the outcome of the plantation method. Coffee is the chief crop. It would scarcely be correct to say that the crop is cultivated, as it actually grows wild and is harvested rather than cultivated. In the absence of direct steamship communication between Canada and Haiti, many Canadian commodities reaching the market lose their identity through the port of New York being shown on the returns as of U.S. origin.

There are approximately 170 million growing or dealing with tree nursery stock, including fruit trees, in Canada.

Harbin, Manchuria, now has nearly 100,000 Russians.



The Result: "Arry, 'ave you ever tried 'Thatchit' for yer baldness?"



Little Journeys In Science

GUNPOWDER

(By Gordon H. Guest, M.A.)
To the average person the term "explosives" suggests the idea of war, but no industry producing explosives could exist if it were dependent on war for its business. Explosives play an important part in our modern civilization because they are used chiefly for constructive purposes, rather than destructive. Our supplies of coal, iron, and other metals are dependent upon the use of dynamite and gunpowder.

To the Chinese is given the credit of inventing black gunpowder, which is a mixture of saltpetre, charcoal, and sulphur. They used it hundreds of years ago in making firecrackers. It was first used in cannon by the English at the Battle of Crecy, in 1346. An historian of that period states that "The English guns made noise like thunder and caused much loss in men and horses." Many years passed before it was employed in blasting.

The salpêtre, known chemically as potassium nitrate, is an oxidizing agent. Now oxidizing agents are substances which furnish oxygen to other materials in a chemical reaction. Thus, when the gunpowder is ignited combustion is brought about by the oxygen liberated from the salpêtre, and does not come from the oxygen of the air.

When this very rapid chemical change takes place, a large volume of gases such as carbon dioxide and sulphur dioxide are produced, due to the combining of sulphur and charcoal (carbon) in the gunpowder with the oxygen supplied by the nitrate. As a result of this rapid chemical reaction very high temperatures are produced. The heat causes the gases to expand, and thus the powder cannon ball bursts with great velocity.

In modern warfare the use of gunpowder is limited to bursting charges for anti-aircraft, to fuses, and priming charges for use in smokeless powder. Due to its low cost it is still used extensively by sportsmen in hunting. It is also in great demand for blasting purposes because it does not require a detonator. It lacks the power possessed by modern high explosives but has the marked advantage of being less shattering than most explosives.

WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

The prison population of Canada at the beginning of the current year numbered 4,887.

The Prince of Wales has become chief patron of the Public Schools Exploring Society, which last summer organized an expedition to northern Finland.

The "Winnie Mae," which Wiley Post twice has flown around the world, may be grommed for the British-sponsored air race between England and Australia this fall, the globe-girding flyer indicated.

The estimated annual saving arising out of the reduction or cancellation of dependents' pensions caused by the pension review in 1932 and 1933 was \$14,928. That information was given in the house of commons.

The Archbishop of Canterbury in the church assembly disclosed that \$100,000 of the \$250,000 sought from the public has already been raised towards the purchase price of the famous fourth-century biblical manuscript, the Codex Sinaiticus.

Because another 1,000 "war widows" receiving pensions were married during the past year the treasury will be able to save \$250,000 in the new budget. There remain 134,650 war widows who have not remarried.

Reduction of interest rates on western farm mortgages and provision for intermediate agricultural credits were advocated as preliminary steps for the rehabilitation of the western provinces by John M. Irvin, managing director of the Edmonton Journal, in an address.

A committee of seven members of the house of commons will inquire into work of the Canadian Radio Broadcasting Commission this session, suggesting improvements. Premier R. B. Bennett gave notice of the government's intention to establish the committee.

Buildings erected in Shanghai, China, last year are estimated to have cost over \$40,000,000.

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THE TWELVE SENT FORTH

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON
FEBRUARY 25

GOLDEN TEXT: "The harvest indeed is plenteous, but the laborers are few. Therefore, pray you the Lord of the harvest, that he send forth laborers into his harvest." Matthew 9:37. 38.

Lesson: Matthew 9:35—11:1.

Devotional Reading: Romans 10:15—16.

EXPLANATIONS AND COMMENTS

The Twelve Sent Forth, 10:1—4. Jesus sent out the twelve apostles and now here come them two by two, as Peter tells us, that of the first group is always Peter; that of the second Philip; and that of the third, James the son of Alpheus. The other of the remaining three in the group are the different lists. The last, save that Judas Iscariot is always the last one given.

Simon, who is called a leper, he received the name of Peter, when he called the Rock, Rock, Stone, when first called. Peter was the spokesman of the group, "the Mouth of the Apostles," as Chrysostom calls him.

"Christ created ideal men by idealizing them. He idealized the impulsive Simon into Peter, the rock, changing Pharisaic Saul into Paul, and the cursing son of thunder into the loving John. Christ idealized and you may repeat his highest achievement, the transformation of the character of your friends."

Andrew, Peter's brother. It was he who brought Peter to Jesus, "thus confirming the first step in the first missionary of the Kingdom of Heaven." James and John, sons of Zebedee, Jesus called Boanerges, Sons of Thunder. James was the first called to serve, and John followed him. (Act 12:2.) John is known as "the disciple whom Jesus loved." He is associated with Peter in the events narrated in the early chapters of The Acts.

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Canadian Hen Too Prolific

Heavy Exports To Old Land Alarming British Farmers

The Canadian hen is altogether too prolific for the British farmer's taste and Canada's total of twenty-five million eggs exported to the United Kingdom yearly, as well as the Dominion's expanding poultry supplies, are likely shortly to be curtailed by the British government.

Though egg imports from Holland and Belgium are already heavily reduced, intensified Dominion production, especially in Canada and Australia, threatens a disastrous fall in prices during the months from February to July. The British farmer consequently is alarmed and has sought the minister of agriculture to help him. Moreover, he has developed poultry raising to such a point that he has now sixty million birds, or double what he possessed ten years ago.

On top of all this, he has to meet the competition of ten million dollars worth of liquid eggs from Canada.

This illustration of "the economics of scarcity" in the world, which as the Archibishop of York is appealing to-day to the nation's conscience on behalf of the unemployed says, is previously astray "because, while multitudes suffer from undernourishment, food is burned or thrown into the sea," receives further emphasis from the plight of Dutch cattle producers.

Two hundred thousand animals are about to be slaughtered in the Netherlands at the rate of four thousand and weekly because they cannot be sold, either at home or abroad. The meat will be canned and given to the unemployed at a nominal price.

Control Of Weeds

Use Of Fanning Mill Greatly Assists

Speaking at the World's Grain Conference at Regis on the mechanical control of weeds in the spring wheat region, Mr. J. G. Haney of the Agricultural Extension Department, International Harvester Company, said: "I would put the fanning mill at the head of the list of weed control machines and there is much room for improvement in design and use of seed cleaning machines. Carelessness in sowing weed seed is probably responsible for more weed trouble than will be readily admitted. This careless attitude must be changed. The cleaner on the combine or separator properly operated, followed by the fanning mill and disc harrow, would do much in controlling weeds." The bulletin "Weeds and Weed Seed," issued by the Dominion department of agriculture, discusses the matter of seed cleaning fully with illustrations.

Preparing Sheep Pelts

Department Of Agriculture Gives Direction For Doing Work

The following directions for preparing lamb or sheep pelts are given by the Dominion Department of Agriculture in the bulletin on dressing and cutting lamb carcasses. Spread the pelt out flat and evenly with the wool side down. Take a pound to a pound and a half of coarse salt and sprinkle it evenly over the pelt, exercising special care with the head and legs. Allow the pelt to remain in this position for at least twenty-four hours. The pelt may then be rolled, turning in the legs and sides lengthwise. Bring the head to about the point of the shoulder and the tail and rump to the centre of the back, and roll both ends making a tight compact pelt. Tie securely with strong cord and store in a dry, cool place.

Women Make Good Navigators

Women interested in aviation should strive to become navigators rather than pilots, Ruth Nichols, famed American aviator, told a gathering at Swarthmore College. Feminine patience and attention to detail make women excellent navigators, Miss Nichols asserted. She added that men have the mechanical skill required for a successful pilot.

Checking War Talk

The Japanese government has made good on its promise to check war talk. As its first move in pursuing a policy stated before the imperial diet on Jan. 23, the government prevented circulation of a pamphlet describing an allegedly impudent naval conflict on the Pacific.

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BRITISH NATIONAL GOVERNMENT LEADERS INVADE SCOTLAND



The National Government in the Mother Country has decided to send some of its most prominent leaders on a speaking campaign through England and Scotland. Above we see four of the cabinet members who are to tour the west of Scotland. Sir John Simon (left), Foreign Minister; Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin (top centre); Sir Godfrey Colling (lower centre), Secretary of State for Scotland; and Sir John Gilmour, Home Secretary.

Strip Farming For Drift

Has Proven The Most Effective Of All Measures Adopted

Where precipitation is less plentiful, the moisture stored in the fallow is too valuable for any of it to be sacrificed for producing a cover crop, and it is necessary to find other means of drift control. Of all measures adopted to meet this situation, strip farming has been of the most value. It should be stated frankly, however, says Mr. A. E. Palmer, Dominion Experimental Station, Lethbridge, Alberta, that although striping is a most effective and practical method of controlling soil drifting, it does not entirely prevent it and so must be accompanied by careful cultural practice. Strip farming, as the term implies, consists of dividing the field into alternating strips of crop and fallow. For convenience strips are laid out either directly north and south, or east and west, whichever is the more nearly at right angles to the direction of the most severe winds. The idea is that strips are of value only where drifting winds come from but one direction does not seem to be correct, as they furnish drift protection from all winds striking them at any angle.

Inured To Cold

Proper Kind Of Clothing Will Afford Protection From Severe Weather

Captain Bob Bartlett, the veteran explorer, has never experienced frostbite during the greater part of a lifetime spent in the Arctic and sub-Arctic. He became accustomed to cold while seal hunting on the ice floes off his native Newfoundland and Labrador and learned as a boy how to protect himself against the low temperatures which he later encountered on the journeys of which the most famous excursion was his solo trip with Peary to within a short distance of the North Pole. During the hazardous crossing of the ice pack to Siberia after the Karukash in the polar ocean north of Bering Straits, Captain Bartlett kept himself from being frostbitten. Given adequate clothing, he believes there is no reason for anyone being incapacitated by cold weather no matter how low the temperature may fall—New York Sun.

History Repeating Itself

It looks as if history is repeating itself. In the depression of 12 or 13 years ago, the greatest factor in bringing back good times was the automobile industry, then making great strides in its development. Reports which are coming in from all parts of Canada and the United States indicate that, so far as these two countries are concerned, this industry is leading them back to better times.

Huge X-Ray Tube

The huge X-ray tube, designed for the treatment of cancer, can generate as much power as the world's supply of radium, estimated at four ounces. The tube, nearly 30 feet tall, develops a 1,100,000-volt flash of gamma rays.

Manchuria has started a campaign against kidnapping.

Depends On Yourself

Practically Everyone Can Keep Young For Many Years

"We are only young once," you often hear some person remark as an excuse for "hitting the pace."

True, we can be young but once and the pleasures of youth must be crowded into that space of time.

But how long are we young? Some men are old at 40 while others are still young at 60. It depends upon the pace they hit and the manner in which they hit it.

We can crowd a lot of work and pleasure into youth if we keep our hearts and our minds and our bodies clean, or we can reduce the amount of both and shorten our youth by resorting to reckless dissipation.

Your youth is your own. It will be prolonged or curtailed by your own acts.

Sea Serpents Galore

Another Sea Monster Is Sighted In Caribbean Sea

While "Ainable Amy" reportedly heads northward from its usual haunts around Victoria, B.C., another sea serpent "65 feet long and six feet broad amidships" disports itself in the Caribbean sea. There's an entry in the log of the liner Mauretania to prove it.

Senior First Officer S. W. Moughin admitted he made the entry in the log under the date of January 30. It read simply:

"Sighted sea monster headed S.W. 1:20 p.m."

Inside the entry Moughin drew a sketch of the monster which was also seen by Senior Third Officer J. W. Cauncy.

A boy in a Kansas school asked for a composition on slang, wrote: "I'll bet if I don't quit using slang, you'll soak me on the noddle."

The teacher read it. "One more crack like that," he exploded, "and it's the skids for you."

Depression salary cuts of many public employees in South Africa are being restored.

Mark Rate In Scotland

Rewards Are Now Being Offered For Their Extermination

In 1927 six pairs of musk rats were purchased by Scotland from Canada and installed in a field near Feddal, close to Breco, in Fifehire. Although part of this field was turned into a swamp by diverting into it the water of a burn (stream), the musk rats disliked these quarters and soon bit through the wire netting, and five pairs escaped. Later a male was found dead, so that the stock from which Scotland had since been populated by these animals was five females and four males. Eighty musk rats were killed by one keeper before operations were begun for their extermination. Rewards were paid to private individuals for 60 musk rats killed by them during the winter of 1932-33. Since October 1932 over 750 musk rats have been killed by the trappers employed by the Department of Agriculture for Scotland. We know, therefore, says the Scottish Journal of Agriculture, that 890 musk rats have been killed during the last three years, all descendants of the few rats that escaped in 1927.

Cultivating War Spirit

Chinese Board Of Censors Bans Anti-War Pictures

At the instigation of the Kuomintang party, the Chinese board of censors has banned the showing of any motion picture which may be termed "anti-war." The Kuomintang says the nation's prime need is the "cultivation of public spirit to fight China's enemies." Accordingly the scissors will henceforth be wielded on all movie scenes depicting family grief over parting with soldiers sons or sorrow on the receipt of news that men have been killed in action, "tragic scenes of wounded soldiers" or any sequences showing the hardships or horrors of war.

Border Cities Star.

Agricultural crops in Manchuria last season were 20 per cent greater than in 1932.

Likely To Continue

Story Of King Tut's Curse Too Good To Scrap

The death in Boston of Dr. Albert M. Lythgoe, curator emeritus of Egyptology of the Metropolitan Museum, who was present at the opening of the tomb of King Tut-ankh-Amen, will revive the story that those who took any part in the uncovering of the tomb and the exposure of the remains have a curse upon them which shortens their lives. This story has been played up from time to time whenever anyone directly or indirectly connected with the event has died.

But Mr. Herbert E. Winlock, director of the museum, to use unprofane language, declares the curse is all "bunk."

In the first place, he says, the statement that there was an inscription over the inner chamber which said, "Here lies the great King, and whosoever disturbs this tomb, on him may the curse of Pharaoh rest," existed only in the imagination of some newspaper correspondent.

It is true that about twelve people who had much to do with the excavation are dead, but the facts are these:

That the man who first discovered the steps leading into the tomb is alive.

Of the five who attended the opening of the tomb three are still alive.

Of the twenty-two who were at the opening of the inner chamber sixteen are still alive.

Of the twenty-two who witnessed the opening of the sarcophagus all except two are still alive.

Of the ten who examined the mummy itself all the ten are still alive.

The ages of the men who did die were from 47 to 77, so that they were all men getting on in years and liable to die from natural causes.

But the curse story is likely to continue because it is too good a story to scrap.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

Agricultural Notes

Many Items Of Interest To The Western Farmer

Up to February 3, a total of 4,834 Canadian cattle were shipped to the United Kingdom this year.

During the week ended January 25, 988 cattle, 90 calves, 4,081 hogs and 2,279 sheep were shipped from western to eastern Canada.

For the week ending February 1, the total amount of hogs graded in Canada was 67,445 making \$11,351 all for the first five weeks of this year.

Of the wheat in storage at Rotterdam, 58,810 tons is of Canadian origin, the largest quantity of Canadian wheat to be held in Holland for many years. The bulk of it is in transit.

Blister beetles of one species or another are to be found in every province of Canada.

The Canadian egg market as a whole continues to maintain a very favourable position as compared with a year ago.—Egg and Poultry Market Review.

On the prairies, the army cutworm, the armyworm, and the beet webworm are erroneously classed as true armyworms. These insects under certain conditions assume marching habits and cause a large amount of damage to miscellaneous crops.

Guinea pigs, rabbits, mice and other animals die quickly from the effects of anthrax, an animal disease very rare in Canada. Hogs, dogs, cats and carnivorous animals in general are less susceptible and may become infected only after repeated exposure.

Great Britain, with its herds, flocks, pastures, and institutions of animal research, offers a virgin field for exploration by the Dominion and Colonial animal husbandmen. Those who have not had the opportunity of visiting this Mecca of the livestock man have a great pleasure in store.—Professor Sinclair, Alberta University.

Eggs readily absorb odours and for that reason should never be placed near such food as fish, cheese, or onions. If a case or crate containing eggs is placed in a cellar, the crate should rest on a shelf, as the dampness from the floor will cause mould or must.

As lambs reach the age of about a year, the meat assumes the character of mature mutton. Young mutton is a very fine quality of meat which is not appreciated in Canada as it should be. It is distinguished from lamb by the colour of the meat and by the paler colour and hardness of the bones. Cuts of mutton are heavier than those of lamb.

Children With Red Hair

Research In London Shows More Boys Than Girls

There are more red-headed boys than red-headed girls, according to a report issued by the Medical Research Council, London, this conclusion having been arrived at by Dr. R. M. Fleming, of the Medical Research Council staff, after a study extending 14 years and taking in 2,219 boys and 2,073 girls. The report also mentions the following facts:

The blue eyes of a baby may become brown, but no brown eyes ever become blue again. Changes in eye and hair color are always to darker shades not lighter. Boys and girls are equal in average height up to 11 years. Girls are taller than boys between 11 and 14. Afterwards boys become steadily taller than girls. Girls are darker than boys. The average head measurements are greater in boys than in girls at every age.

All the time Dr. Oliver had that he was born between two desires. First, he wondered if the button really did ring a bell in the police station. He was always tempted not to press the button to satisfy his curiosity. The second desire was to hold the job, which he needed badly. He was afraid that if the bell really did ring at police headquarters and he did not press it, the officers would come, he would be accused of having been asleep and so lose his job.

He always pressed the button.—W. L. Clark, in Border Cities Star.

Stems Funny Now

It is amusing to learn that the inhabitants of Grosvenor Square, London, made great protests when that exclusive area was first lighted by gas. Many thought the new illuminant extremely vulgar, and at least one Peer, the Earl of Mansfield, refused to make the change from candles to gas. The advent of gas was not good for valuable paintings, many of which lost some of their value.

The man who goes about wrapped up in his thoughts risks a chill.

A sea anthology has just been published in England.

Could And Would

Prof. Gilbert Murray, the noted Greek scholar, said at a Harvard reception:

"Taxes all over the world get higher and higher. And they'll keep on getting higher and higher till the governments learn to economize. When it comes to economizing the average government is like the army."

"Business," the lady's husband said to her, "is on the blink, my love. Do you think you could economize a little—wear simpler dresses, say?"

"Why, of course, darling," said the lady. "I'll order some simpler dresses this very afternoon."

The proper temperature at which potatoes should be stored is 57 degrees F. At this temperature the life processes of the tuber are at their minimum.

Rotchesay, Scotland, is sending large shipments of herrings to the Glasgow poor.

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SYNOPSIS

Camilla Hoyt and Peter Anson, young and in love, marry secretly, deciding to live their own lives apart until Peter is able to provide for her. Peter is a young, strong, successful typist, in a competition for a scholarship abroad and Camilla is the adopted daughter of a wealthy family. She is not to inherit money when the competition is over, so Peter is studying commercial art in the hope of landing an agency job. Others in the story are Avis Werth, another wealthy girl who tries to win Peter away; Todd, Peter's model, and Gus Matson, his former roommate with whom he has quarreled. At a party at an exclusive club Peter entertains Camilla, gowned with impersonations. When the rest of the members of the party go to a cabaret to continue the gaiety, Peter and Camilla are left alone. The house is broken in and falls asleep in the sand. When they awake it is early morning and Avis and another boy are standing near them. This makes a scene for Camilla to announce before the party that she and Peter are married. Avis is stunned and Camilla's mother likewise. Camilla's mother, who has been the home of her adopted parents immediately and go to live with Rose, her sister, who is a file clerk in a business office. Peter decides to take an apartment. Bowman, Peter's advertising agency, where Camilla has submitted some of her work, gets a job and tells her they have a new accommodation, the usual treatment of juvenile art. To Camilla's surprise she learns that the account is that of her foster father's company, which has been on an advertising agency to bolster his lagging business. After a conference with Mr. Bowman, Camilla decides to attempt the wry. With ideas running riot in her head she goes to bed and spends the night sketching. In the morning, armed with her samples she sets out for the agency. The critics were not kind to her work, but Mr. and Mrs. Weeks offers her a salary of \$50.00 a week to start and a prospect of having it doubled. She goes to keep a dinner engagement with Peter.

(Next Go On With The Story)

CHAPTER XXXI.

"We were speaking yesterday," Camilla began steadily, glancing around the table at the men who faced her attentively. "Of reaching the household buying-public—the women—through the children. And, of course, we can't reach children with adult ideas. There is nothing so attractive to children as a story, and

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Hang it in a

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HAMILTON, ONTARIO

W. N. U. 2034

Inventor Of Telephone

House Of Alexander Graham Bell At Brantford Is To Be Preserved

The house at Brantford, Ont., in which Alexander Graham Bell, inventor of the telephone, conceived the idea of this revolutionary invention and in which it was first practically demonstrated is being moved to a new location in order to save it from destruction.

Great sandhills of the steep banks of the Grand river had so undermined the foundation of the historic house that hurried efforts had to be made to save it. A considerable sum of money has already been spent in an attempt to stay the erosion, but without avail.

According to the written accounts of Professor Bell, the discovery of the telephone, both as to its main principle and as to the first transmission of the human voice, was made at his father's residence at Tutela Heights, Brantford in 1876, and the first telephone talk over any distance was conducted between Brantford and Paris, Ontario, a distance of eight miles, on August 10, 1876.

"In that case, it would be all right," she said, "but I much prefer to remain anonymous for the present."

"It is a picture story and the characters are the Tiny Tots of Tinyville, who are diminutive people. All children are familiar with fairies, gnomes, kewpies, brownies and what-not. But I have given to these individual names and characteristics and some new experiences that may appeal to youngsters. There are the chief Tiny Tot family and their relatives—friends and enemies, their relatives and their drawings that require very little text. Most of that is given in their own conversation."

She offered the first card of drawings to Mr. Weeks, then presented one to each of her critics. "I have first made a sketch of each principal character, then a series of stories. For the best results, they should run in weekly publications, so as to carry the thought easily from one publication to the next. For monthly advertising, a different series, like these, would be more suitable." She stopped and glanced anxiously at the faces of her judges, whose eyes were intently upon her drawings.

Almost simultaneously, the six looked at her and then at each other. Without exception, their faces lighted with approval and the moments of approbation pattered about her like hailstones.

"Splendid!" "Very clever—novel idea." "Best thing I've seen for a long time." "You had this idea worked out before?" Mr. Bowman inquired with surprise.

"Not at all. The idea came to me after I talked with you yesterday. As I say, the thought is not entirely new—but I think the presentation of it is."

"Very new," he agreed. "But you don't tell me you have done all these since you were here yesterday?"

"I did," she smiled. "Of course, I intend to improve them with more time and I should hope the whole would work better, but as I went along—that is, if the suggestion should be used," she added quickly.

Weeks and Bowman looked at each other, smiled and turned at Camilla. "I am afraid they will be used," said Mr. Weeks. "There will be some formality of submitting the plan to the advertising manager of the Wheatheart corporation, but we shall recommend the idea enthusiastically. I think, Miss Hoyt, that you have a position, and one which is going to keep you pretty busy for a while."

"Nothing could please me more," earnestly.

"But you won't have to do this much work in one day, remember," he chided pleasantly.

"I don't think I could do that much every day," she laughed. "This was an emergency, you see."

"You always meet emergencies, don't you?" he looked at her with admiration.

"That is quite important, isn't it?" soberly.

"Indeed it is. But the emergency is where most people fail. A sudden responsibility frightens the average person."

"Why?" Camilla wondered, "it just does the opposite for me—it stimulates me, challenges me."

"Then you are the very person we need here, whether you draw Tiny Tots or lumbering giants," he decided. "Now, in regard to salary—much will depend upon the progress and the success of this campaign. Would you take fifty dollars a week to start, and if the returns are satisfactory within two months after the first publicity, we'll double that."

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What About The Press?

No One Sheds Tears Over Publishers' Hard Times

New Glasgow, Nova Scotia, Evening Post says: "Now that we've taken care of the banks and the buildings and loan companies and the insurance companies and the railroads and the mortgage companies and the farmers—does anyone have any objection to the sort of relief for the newspaper?"

Bad times are good, the newspapers must go on just the same. The harder the times, the greater value of news. The newspapers must be manned. It costs just as much to get out the newspaper, despite the fact that advertising has dropped to a new record low ebb.

But no one sheds tears for the press. Newspapers are supposed to cry for relief of others, sob for the suffering in individual or corporation form, and snarl for justice and retribution. Every headache is carried to the newspapers, every complaint is given to the press, appeals for the needy, pleas for business, charitable and civil reform—all is a part of the newspaper's duty to the public.

But when business fails off, advertising contracts are cancelled and publishers are struggling for a livelihood, a sudden attack of deafness comes over the land.

Does anybody ever stop to think that a town without a newspaper these days would be completely off the map?"

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Aline Michaelis

REASON FOR SONG

O, song is a bit of a puzzle, When anyone wants to know why Words come from the heart set to music

At sight of a star in the sky!

The reason for singing eludes one, Though song may be sweet on his lips

When he watches the white ripples foaming

At sight of the out-going ships.

So many things move to the measure

Of song through the day and the night:

The river, the wind in the willows, The wings of the sea gulls in flight,

So great is the urge of its beauty

That translating a rose into words

Is no task of a task to the singer

Than their morning songs are to the birds.

Though the reason for singing is hid-

den.

Still the need lurks, abiding and deep.

As the need of bread is for the human body.

As the need of the weary is sleep.

World's Oil Supply

Will Last For Next Thirty Centuries Is Estimate

Petroleum, known deposits and at the rate of the present consumption is sufficient to last the world for the next 30 centuries, according to Dr. Gustave Egleff, of Chicago. With only two million acres of oil wells producing in the United States alone, Dr. Egleff points out that America has 1,160,000,000 acres of possible oil land that is yet to be explored and developed.

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cause poisons to accumulate in the system and bring on persistent headache, kidney trouble, rheumatism, sciatica. Take Gin Pills to restore the kidneys to a healthy condition and eliminate the poison from your system.



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Modern medical science now throws an entirely new light on sore throat. A way that eases the pain, rawness and irritation in as little as two or three minutes.

It requires medicine—like ASPIRIN—to do these things! That is why throat specialists throughout the world are prescribing this ASPIRIN gargle in place of old-time ways.

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The council of the village of Crossfield will meet in the Fire Hall on the first Monday of each month at the hour of 8 o'clock p.m.

By Order of the Village Council
T. Tredaway, Sec.-Treas.

Canadian Legion B. E. S. L.
Crossfield Branch

Meets on the last Saturday of each month in the Fire Hall at 2 p.m.

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LOST—A horse blauet near Crossfield. Finder will please leave at the Chronicle office.

FOR SALE—1 Oak and leatherette Divanette, 1 Oak rocker, 1 nursing rocker. Apply to Mrs. P. H. Flemings

FOR SALE—Pure bred Bourbon Red Turkey toms, \$3.00; hens \$1.75
Mrs. S. Walker, Crossfield

FOR SALE—3 unhandled young gobblers and one banded B old gobber. Mrs. N. J. Casey

FOR SALE—Some farm horses E. Bills, Crossfield

FOR SALE—Child's Simmons Crib in good condition. Apply to Mrs. O. Bills

FOR SALE—One 14 inch 3 bottom Oliver Tractor Plow. Apply to N. A. Johnson

A BARGAIN—Model A Ford Coach 1929, in A1 shape, Cheap for cash. Apply at Chronicle office.

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THURSDAY, Feb 22, 1934.

Local News

J. M. Williams has sold a new Massey-Harris disc seeder to Frank Purvis.

Wm. Wood and Ed. Clark were in Calgary on Monday attending the brake clinic put on by the Raybestos Brake Co.

Miss Agnes McLeod and Charlie Purvis of Turner Valley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Purvis on Sunday.

"Buster" Brown, pioneer of the Cremona district was a visitor in town the first of the week.

A large number from the town and district attended the Drumheller-Calgary hockey game at Calgary on Monday night.

The site was blue at the rear of the old Gazelle Block this a.m. when Bill Gilson told his landlord where to head in at. Boy, did he tell him to!

Mr. J. McLeod, Miss Alice McLeod and Percy Willis of Turner Valley, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Reid and son of Calgary, Mr. J. Lumball of Bowden were visitors at the Willis home on Sunday.

Don't forget the Bacon Hog Demonstration in the U. F. A. hall on Thursday, March 1st at 1:30 p.m. Howard Wright who attended this demonstration in Calgary states that it is worth at least ten dollars to any hog raiser.

Among those from outside points attending the Board of Trade banquet on Tuesday evening were: Mrs. G. A. Bishop, Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Allan, Airdrie; Mrs. J. C. Urquhart, Elbow, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Shaw, Carstairs, Mr. and Mrs. J. Jack, Dog Pound; Mr. and Mrs. H. Hoffman, Dog Pound.

A very interesting and complicated case was started before Judge Macdonald in District Court, Calgary, Wednesday morning. The principals of which are The Atlas Lumber Co. Ltd. as plaintiff and J. S. Hutchinson as defendant, and J. S. Hutchinson as plaintiff by counterclaim and Atlas Lumber Co. and George Hutchinson as defendants by counterclaim. A. W. Gordon is one of quite a number of witnesses. This case will likely last several days.

Annual Meeting M. D. of Beaver Dam

The ratepayers annual meeting of Beaver Dam Municipality was held in the Cremona Hall Feb. 17. The returning officer Mr. Van Haasten was elected chairman and presided in an able and efficient manner.

The auditors report was read after being fully discussed was adopted as correct.

The meeting expressed themselves as well pleased with the financial condition of the District which shows a marked improvement over previous years.

The following candidates were nominated for the office of council for:

Division No 2—Ernest Beddoes, and Geo. Leask.

Division No. 3—J. Watt, re-elected by acclamation.

Division No. 4—J. McBain and W. Bellamy.

Bacon Hog Demonstration

Sponsored by the Crossfield and District Board of Trade

Will be held in the U.F.A. Hall

Thursday, March 1st.

at 1:30 p.m.

There will be a demonstration of Wiltshire Sides, and Lectures will be given by Provincial and University officials.

Dr. Prev Talbot will lecture on parasites in hogs.

Two Reels of Pictures
All interested are cordially invited to attend.

Board of Trade Banquet is Largely Attended

Board of Trade Will Sponsor Hog Demonstration on March 1st.

One of the most enjoyable banquets in the history of the Board of Trade was held in the Masonic Hall on Tuesday evening, to which were invited members of the Olds Board of Trade and other prominent citizens.

A splendid chicken supper was provided by the Ladies Aid of the United Church.

A hearty welcome was extended by the President to the visiting members of the Olds Board of Trade.

Community singing and a duet by Mr. and Mrs. Crooker was much appreciated by the audience.

Howard Wright, Vice President, spoke regarding the Bacon Hog Demonstration sponsored by the Crossfield Board of Trade, to be held in the U.F.A. hall on Thursday, March 1st.

Mr. Wright stressed the advantages to be derived from such a practical demonstration of the class of hog required if we are to obtain and hold a market which is assured, if we produce the type and steady supply necessary.

The President called on Dr. S. H. McClelland to introduce the speaker of the evening, Professor E. A. Corlett of the University of Alberta.

Professor Corlett's subject was "Old Quebec, Its Manners and Customs." He showed a thorough understanding of his subject. His address, which was accompanied by slides, was both very interesting and instructive and from the hearty manner in which it was received, it was apparently thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

R. M. McCool Advocates

Much Needed Legislation

On Friday last, in seconding the resolution to adopt the speech from the Throne, in the Legislative Assembly at Edmonton, Mr. R. M. McCool, M.L.A. for Cochrane, advocated the prohibition of all commercial hauling on the highways on Sundays, the compulsory carrying of lights on trucks where loads project beyond the body of the vehicle, the bonding of lawyers for the protection of their clients, the reduction of interest charges and the extension of the Public Utilities Act to include bread.

BAND CONCERT AND DANCE

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Wednesday, February 28

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The School Corner

(Edited by the School Reporter)

Three basketball teams were chosen from the High Room. All three teams were fairly evenly matched but on the last day of the league the "Reds" pulled out of the cellar and into first place. Players on the winning team were: Frank Low, Tony Buterman, Stanley Pogue, Margaret Fitzpatrick, Isabel Goldie and Bert Blongh.

Room 3 have organized a football league. On Monday three teams were chosen having Steve Nasadyk, Kenneth McTavish, and Gavin Goldie as captains.

Glen Williams Wins Inter-Risk Competition

G. A. Williams won the inter-risk competition. This event carries with it the Royal Hotel cup and four miniature cups. Williams won seven and lost two games, while Gordon Purvis finished second with six wins and three defeats.

The winning rink: Glen Williams, skip; Austin Whillans, third, Frank Mair, second, Ed. Clark, lead.

Owing to mild weather there has been no curling for the past three weeks, but it turned colder over the weekend and the ice was still in shape again.

McCaskill's team played the last game of the schedule on Sunday afternoon. McCaskill won by a score of 8-8. Had Purvis won this game he and Williams would have finished the regular schedule tied and a play off been necessary, however it was not to be. Purvis was five up at one time, but Hall and his men began to click and at the end of the eleventh the score was tied, Hall came through (like a good skipper) with his last rock to win the game.

Louie Becker who is leading for Wm. Stralo in the bowlsip, took a beauty nap on Wednesday evening, and intended to wake in time for the nine o'clock draw, but he didn't and when he arrived at the rink with broom in hand, the game was over.

Church of the Ascension

(Anglican)

Sunday, February 25th.

Evening — 7:30 p.m.

Lenten Services

Wed., Feb. 28th at 8 p.m.—Litany and address on the woman who walked with Jesus.

Wed., March 7th at 9:30 a.m.—Holy Communion and address.

Wed., March 14th at 8:00 a.m.—Litany and address.

March 28th (Good-Friday) at 8:00 p.m.—Evening and address.

United Church Services

On Sunday, Feb. 25th services will be held in the following places:

Crossfield—Sunday School at 2 p.m. in charge of Mr. W. Gibson.

Preaching service in the evening at 7:30 p.m. in charge of Mr. W. Gibson.

Service at Madden Hall at 11:30 a.m. Everybody welcome.

Rev. E. Longmire, Minister.

Baptist Church

Morning Service — 11:00 a.m.

Evening Service — 7:30 p.m.

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